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Docket No.: 043888-0406

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of | : | Customer Number: 53080 |
| Futoshi TADA, et al. | : | Confirmation Number: 7765 |
| Application No.: 10/553,746 | : | Group Art Unit: 3728 |
| Filed: October 18, 2005 | : | Examiner: Ackun, Jacob K. |
| For: PACKAGE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME | : | |

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 2;

Remarks begin on Page 3.